

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Patrick Jay Lutz

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For: PRESERVATIVE BLENDS CONTAINING
QUATERNARY AMMONIUM COMPOUNDS

Examiner: Alton N. Pryor

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated February 2, 2007, please consider the following remarks, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

This response is accompanied by a Petition for an Extension of Time and payment of the requisite fee to extend the period for filing a reply to August 2, 2007. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in this fee to Deposit Account No. 04-0100.